

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**A B S T R A C T**

Establishment – Training in Certificate Course for Radiographic Assistants working in the Institutions and Hospitals under the control of Health Medical and Family Welfare Department to undergo one year training Course – Orders – Issued.

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**HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (H1) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.Rt.No. 1589

Dated 20-11-2010.  
Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.940, HM&FW (H) Dept., dated 18.07.2010.
2. G.O.Rt.No.1190, HM&FW (H) Dept., dated 10.09.2009.
3. From the President, A.P. Government X-Ray Technician's Association, Letter dated 31.10.2009 and 25.01.2010.
4. From the Director of Medical Education, A.P. Hyderabad, Letter Rc.No.17955/ME.B/2005, dated 22.12.2009 and 15.04.2010.

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**O R D E R:**

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> read above orders were issued permitting the DME for allowing the candidates with intermediate (Science Group) and with SSC/Matriculation qualification to undergo the Certificate Course for Radiographic Assistants (CRAs).

2. In the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, the Association of A.P. X-Ray Technicians Association have requested to permit the remaining 56 candidates to undergo CRA training as in-service candidates as per G.O.Rt.No. 940 dt. 18-7-2008. stating that the remaining 56 candidates were not permitted in the earlier G.O.
3. In the reference 4<sup>th</sup> read above, the Director of Medical Education has stated that CRA training is conducted by the Govt. for the in-service candidates in Govt. Institutions i.e. Teaching Hospitals as per G.O.Ms.No. 60, Health, Medical & Family Welfare (H1) Dept. dt. 10-3-2005. Further, the Director of Medical Education has stated that fifty two (52) candidates who were appointed prior to 7-9-2004 with SSC/10<sup>th</sup> Class/Matriculation qualification and working as Dark Room Assistants/X-Ray Attendants/Sr.Mould Technician/Jr.Mould Technicians are not included in the orders issued in 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, as they are not D.R.As at that time of consideration for C.R.A Training. Therefore, he has requested to relax the educational qualification with regard to 52 candidates to undergo training, as was permitted in the orders issued earlier. He has also requested to permit four (4) candidates to undergo C.R.A training on regular basis, since they have Intermediate with Science subject.
4. The Director of Medical Education has further informed that there will not be any dislocation of work in the Govt. Hospitals when 52 + 4 = 56 candidates are permitted at a time since the Darkroom Assistants, Darkroom attendants and Mould Technicians have no authority to handle the X-ray machines without CRA qualification. They will only help the Radiographers. The minimum service prescribed to undergo CRA training is 3 years for Darkroom Assistants, Darkroom attendant, X-ray attendant and Mould technicians. He has proposed 52 + 4 = 56 candidates are eligible for CRA training in accordance with rules prescribed in this matter as mentioned in Annexures A & B to this order.
5. In this regard, the matter has been reviewed with APVVP Commissioner and DCHS/Supdt., of Hospitals on 4-11-2010. It has become clear that all DRAs and Radiography Attendants should be trained as Radiographers, so that the cadre of Radiographers be expanded and they can work round the clock in rotation.

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6. Government after careful examination hereby decide that the A.P. Vaidhya Vidhana Parishad, Director of Medical Education and Director of Public Health shall send all Dark Room Assistants / X-Ray Attendants etc., with Intermediate / 10<sup>th</sup> Grade qualification for to obtain certificate course for Radiography Assistants for a year on duty, after obtaining an undertaking that after successful completion of CRA training, after completion of training the trainees would function as Radiographers and work in shift system, i.e., 8 hours in a 24 hour cycle.

7. The Director of Medical Education and Secretary, Para-Medical Board are requested to monitor the quality of training and submit performance report periodically to Government.

8. The Commissioner, A.P. Vaidhya Vidhana Parishad /Director of Medical Education shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Director of Medical Education, A.P. Hyderabad.

The Commissioner, APVVP, Hyderabad.

The Director of Public Health and Family Welfare, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner, of Health and Family Welfare, Hyderabad.

All the Regional Director of Medical and Health Services in the State.

The Secretary, Para-Medical Board, Hyd.

Copy to:

All the District Medical and Health Officers in the State.

All the District Co-ordinators/Superintendents of Hospital Services in the State.

The President, A.P. Government X-Ray Technicians Associations, Hyd.

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//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER